

TALE OF TWO COUNTIES.

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Vilas.

Wednesday, August 25, '97.—W. A. Wilmoth is shipping a car of stock to Kansas City today.

Broom corn is fairly good in this locality.

Hogs have reached the \$3.50 mark here today.

The blacksmith shop is being painted this week.

Happenings of interest are very scarce this week.

Joe Griffin returned to his home in Illinois last Saturday.

T. D. Thompson had a horse to die with colic yesterday.

S. S. Miles has been quite sick, but is improving rapidly.

Two gentlemen from Illinois are visiting Mr. Wiggins this week.

Lon Greisel was transacting business in our city last Monday.

The warehouse at this place is receiving a coat of paint this week.

Frank Hodge and wife and Chas. Smith and wife visited at J. L. Morrison's last Sunday.

Mr. Gabrielson is very sick at present writing, but the indications are that he will improve from this on.

W. C. and G. O. Lines, of Pleasant Valley twp., are in the city today.

Wm. Sharpe drove down from Vilas yesterday, and visited a short while with his son, Dr. Sharpe. He returned home today accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Minnie Long, who will spend several weeks at her father's home.—Derrick, 24th inst.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief.—Boschert & Williams.

Ward.

Wednesday, August 25.—Fred Darnell left for Ottawa last Friday, where he will attend school this winter.

J. W. Starkey has been buying cattle recently.

Joel Griffin left for his Illinois home last Saturday.

Stock water is getting a little scarce in some localities.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard are visiting friends near Liberty.

S. Starkey, Lulu Starkey and Miss Robb were visiting at Mr. Moore's near Thayer last Sunday.

A couple of young men from Emporia were visiting with James Owens last week.

Bessie Crane and her two little nieces went up to Kansas City last Saturday.

James Owens and his uncle James Crane attended the populist county convention at Erie this week.

Mr. Blessing the road supervisor is warning out men this week to repair some of the dilapidated culverts.

Hughie Owens, the small son of H. Owens, fractured a bone in his arm recently by falling out of a wagon.

"Billy" Wilmoth weighed the cattle yesterday that he and Joel Griffin bought of Joe Hanson near Vilas. We failed to learn their weight.

Wheat, flax and hogs are on the upgrade. The farmers who are still holding their flax and wheat are still jubilant. Even the sad, sorrowful expression of some of our populist farmers has begun to relax into an expression of pleasure.

To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surfaces, to instantly relieve and to permanently cure is the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Boschert & Williams.

Pleasant Valley.

Tuesday, August 24.—We are informed that Joe Wiltse has rented his farm to his son-in-law, John Wesby, and will move to Chanute in the spring. Sorry to lose you, Joe.

Miss Mina Noble is working for Mrs. R. N. Richardson.

Sol Townsend went to Chanute Tuesday for a load of lumber.

Louis Butler and wife made several calls in this neighborhood last Sunday.

Look out ye chicken thieves; the guns are loaded for you and not with blank cartridges either.

George Smith is having a cistern put in, Jim Adams doing the stone work and cementing.

Mrs. Gid Richardson and son Elmore started for Illinois Tuesday, where they will make quite an extended visit.

Alex Groshong, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wiltse, returned to his home in Missouri the first of the week.

Every one is either buying or selling young cattle. The wave of prosperity has struck the farmer. Hurrah for McKinley and Protection!

Grandpa Thorne has a very bad case of blood poisoning. He cut his hand some time ago and the inflammation now extends to his whole arm.

Born, Sunday night, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wiltse, a bouncing girl. Mother and child getting along nicely, and Charley when perambulating around the farm, only hits the high places.

Union Valley.

Tuesday, August 24, '97.—Tom Bringer and wife from near Thayer, came up last Saturday to visit Mrs. Bower and family.

A Mr. McCue of Iowa is working for Jno. Rustamier.

Miss Lily Glover, of Chanute, is staying in our vicinity this week.

M. A. Tye and wife were visiting Jesse Parsons and family at Rural today.

J. J. McCowan had a number of hands cutting burrs the former part of the week.

Rev. J. E. Bayless will commence a series of meetings at Golden Ridge next Sunday.

Art Gilmore and family visited relatives and friends at Union Valley Sunday evening.

J. H. Conover, of Piqua, Ks., passed through here last Friday, enroute for Independence.

Two of the Newland brothers were in our neighborhood trying to purchase cattle last week.

Frank Clatfelter and brother-in-law intend starting for Oklahoma the former part of next week.

Rev. E. E. Thomas, of Chanute, will preach at the F. B. Church next Sunday evening at eight o'clock. All invited.

A hand working for Jno. Rustamier tried to lead one of his horses, it refusing to lead, he shirred the halter strap around its under jaw and tied it to another horse. It pulled back and cut about two inches off its tongue.

The "Bicyclist's Best Friend" is a familiar name for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, always ready for emergencies. While a specific for piles, it also instantly relieves and cures cuts, bruises, salt rheum, eczema and all affections of the skin. It never fails.—Boschert & Williams.

Urbana.

Tuesday, August 24, '97.—Mrs. A. T. Neely went to Erie Monday, as a delegate to the pop convention.

Dr. Iles is on the sick list.

Mr. Unsell has all he can do with his cider mill.

Our hay merchants are loading two to five cars daily.

There is some talk of incorporating our little village.

We hear the Shull family will soon remove to Lansing.

A. M. Noble was in Chanute today having some dental work done.

A. W. Fowler left Monday for Fredonia to make a balloon ascension.

Why don't we hear anything about the fair at Erie? It is never mentioned.

A. J. Smith was in town today with a load of the finest melons we have yet seen.

Mrs. W. A. Iles and sons John and Ed. left for Arkansas the 18th to visit relatives.

A large crowd took advantage of the cheap excursion Wednesday and went to Junction City.

There has been several pieces of lead float picked up on the farm of Dr. Neely. If investigated this might prove valuable, as a peculiar metal was found in the Stevens well.

The corn crop is better than expected, all other crops are good. Business is good. The price of wheat is soaring above the dollar mark, silver is diving toward 0 and the pops are disgusted.

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the pills that cleanse the organs, quickly.—Boschert & Williams.

Shaw.

Wednesday, August 25, '97.—This school district has employed Mr. Wagner, of Emporia, to teach the ensuing term.

Shaw base ball club whacked it to the Erie club last Saturday at Erie by a score of 23 to 2.

Misses Mable and Ella Allen returned from their overland trip to Agricola last Friday.

T. C. Leatherman and family are gone on a month's visit to relatives and friends in Indiana.

Mr. Tucker and family of Girard were here last Sunday visiting H. Eckley who is still in a very critical condition of health.

Rev. Fore will preach at Shaw next Saturday night and on Sunday. Basket dinner at the church grounds on Sunday. Come, all.

Cade Huston has moved back into Shaw precinct. He occupies his old position as first assistant chief engineer at the saw mill.

Mahlon Spears and wife of Kimball, Mrs. Grant Spears of Iowa and Dave Eckman and wife of Idaho are visiting the family of A. M. Spears and other relatives this week.

The pop-demo-fuseo convention has come and gone. Our Shaw candidates were left in the lurch, which sets rather hard on some of their stomachs. Some are mad because they failed to get there; others are glad because there is still an opening for future office from this precinct. "Slaughtered in the house of his friends" is the way some put it.

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Rollin.

Tuesday, August 24, '97.—Miss Ida Burghart is on the sick list.

There was preaching at the North Valley school house Sunday.

A. W. Ashcraft and wife of Chanute were the guests of Sprague Lawrence and wife today.

Albert Brashler and sister Lydia, of Mound Valley were visiting friends in this vicinity Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Rosa Stoelzing returned home from Leanna Saturday.

Pearl Peters and Nellie Solomon are visiting with Mrs. Lawrence this week.

Samuel Knoffsker lost his barn and 800 bushels of corn, Wednesday night, by fire, and John Osborne, who is living on the farm also lost 100 bushels of wheat, a set of harness and a lot of farming implements at the same time. The fire broke out at nine o'clock at night, and the cause is unknown. The horses in the barn were rescued.

Thomas Gingrich on going into the parlor to look for his mother's glasses was very much surprised to find the room crowded with people who had come to help him celebrate his 31st birthday. A very enjoyable time was spent, and at a late hour refreshments were served and the guests departed wishing Tom many happy returns of his birthday.

Saturday night Will Burghart heard his dog barking very furiously and supposing chicken thieves were around went out and was confronted by a crowd of about forty people who greeted him with "surprise." He ushered them into the house and the evening was spent very pleasantly in playing various games and music. At a late hour ice cream, cakes, and fruit were served, and they all departed wishing Will many more happy birthdays.

Certainly you don't want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, shallow skin and loss of appetite. You have never tried DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these complaints or you would have been cured. They are small pills but great regulators.—Boschert & Williams.

Neosho Valley.

Tuesday, August 24, '97.—Most of the farmers of the Valley are done plowing for wheat, a large acreage of which will be sown, and we don't care so much about the price of silver if we can raise wheat and know that the dollar is as good as gold.

Mr. and Mrs. Montague have gone to Ohio on a visit.

Mr. Finley and family visited at A. C. Wells on Sunday last.

E. O. McColly sold his hay crop for \$2.50 per ton in the stack.

A. F. Blackburn and D. L. Houston were in Erie on Tuesday.

A. LaSalle has the best field of upland corn in this part of the township.

Mr. Oleson, living on the John L. Johnson farm has a fine field of broom corn.

Herbert Johnson and A. G. Nelson were delegates to the populist convention at Erie on Monday.

Roy Griswold attended a yawning party south-west of Chanute, one night last week, but Roy did the most of the yawning the next day.

A. G. Nelson, district clerk of school district 27, has cleaned off the school yard, repaired the fence, cleaned up the house, and put things in good order.

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dar for the school term which begins Sept. 1st.

Sunday last being Mrs. Wm. Thurman's 70th birthday, her relatives and friends gave her a grand surprise on Saturday, which interferred somewhat with her canning peaches for that day as the ladies took possession of the house. The tables were soon loaded with the good things that the farmer's wives had prepared, to which all did ample justice. In the evening ice cream and cake were served, after which they took their departure, wishing this worthy couple many more such happy occasions. Those present were: T. W. Thurman and family, J. D. Thurman and family, J. W. Thurman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Swartsman, J. M. Young and wife, S. McAfee and wife, John Birdsong and family, Alfred Lawson and family, Henry Thurman, Mr. Waldrup and wife, and D. L. Houston wife and daughter.

Rural.

Tuesday, Aug. 24, '97.—C. C. Boman moved his family to Rural last week, prior to teaching the school.

Mrs. McAtee was severely bitten by a hog on Saturday last.

Miss Blanche Sater and Leila Light were calling in this neighborhood last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gore were the guests of their aunt Mrs. McAtee on last Wednesday.

Miss Edith Maclary attended the party at Miss Bertha Bodle's last Friday evening.

Some malicious person or persons raided Rural school house recently and carried away very nearly everything in sight, such as water buckets, tin cups, combs, looking glass, stage curtains and so forth.

While Mrs. L. Lindsay was absent from home one day last week, some one broke in and took her purse with something over two dollars. It is a pity such characters cannot be brought to justice.

We were very much surprised Sunday, when Miss Edith Maclary called to bid us good bye before leaving for New York for an indefinite stay with relatives. This vicinity will very much regret the loss of this one who was truly loved by all. She will be sadly missed by her classmates with whom she was so closely associated. Yet while we miss her our best wish is for her success and future happiness.

On last Thursday night, Mr. Golf's melon patch was raided and melons in untold numbers were eaten and destroyed, and now we will just say to the fellows by way of advice, that they had better come up and pay damages before the officer of the law presents himself with a warrant and arrests you for trespassing and damage, for the fellows who threw the melons at the dummy has completely given it away.

Austin.

Tuesday, August 24, '97.—R. V. Myers' horses ran away last Thursday evening and broke his cart up.

Bert Winans returned from Centerville, yesterday.

Guy Medford sold his sample corn harvester Friday.

There was an ice cream supper at Mr. Floatman's Saturday night.

James Frazier and John Cowert attended the pop convention at Erie, Monday.

Excursions via. Santa Fe.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 4th to 9th, account of Priest of Pallas Parade. One fare for round trip; tickets on sale Oct. 3rd to 9th. Good for return Oct. 10th.

Kansas City, Mo., Set. 4th to 10th, account of Horse Show. One fare for round trip. Tickets on sale Sept. 3rd to 11th. Good for return Sept. 13th.

Ottawa, Kans., Sept. 20th to 25th, account Franklin county fair. One and one-third fare for round trip; tickets on sale Sept. 19th to 25th.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 4th to 9th, account of St. Louis fair; one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Oct. 3rd to 8th. Good for return Oct. 11th.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 8th to Oct. 23rd account of St. Louis Exposition. One and one-third fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Sept. 7th and each Tuesday and Thursday thereafter, until Oct. 23rd. Good for return five days from date of sale.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 23rd to 28th, account of St. Joseph Fair and Races. One and one-third fare for the round trip; tickets on sale Aug. 22nd to 28th. Good for return Aug. 28th.

Topeka, Kans., Sept. 27th to Oct. 2nd, account of Fall Festivities. One fare for the round trip; tickets on sale Sept. 26th to Oct. 2nd. Good for return Oct. 4th.

Wichita, Kans., Sept. 27th to Oct. 2nd, account of Kansas State Fair. One fare for round trip; tickets on sale Sept. 27th to Oct. 2nd. Good for return Oct. 4th.

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